

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: E. Scott Hagermoser et al.

Examiner: Moon, Seokyun

Serial No.: 10/658,490

Group Art Unit: 2629

Filed: September 8, 2003

Docket No.: 59004US002

Title: VEHICLE TOUCH INPUT DEVICE AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals the rejections of claims 1-7, 9-16, 23-40 and 42 to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated September 24, 2008. The fee of \$540 is submitted with this Notice of Appeal.

☐ (a) Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (fees 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-1.17(a)(5) for the total number of months checked below:

- ☐ one month (\$130.00)
- ☐ two months (\$490.00)
- ☐ three months (\$1110.00)
- ☐ four months (\$1730.00)
- ☐ The extension fee has already been filed in this application.

☒ (b) Applicant believes that no Extension of Time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a Petition and fee for Extension of Time.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0471 in the amount of **\$540.00**. Additionally, during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0471 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.25.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the Applicant's representative at the below-listed number to facilitate prosecution of this application.

**Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences**

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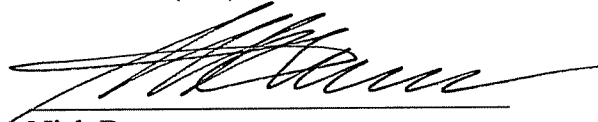
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